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NEWMOA RCRA "C" Workgroup Component
NHDES Compliance Measures Improvement Project

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NEWMOA has completed the following tasks under this contract from April 1, 2000- September 30, 2000.

- In May 2000 NEWMOA prepared a "discussion draft" agenda for a proposed one-day states-EPA workshop to review the latest state-EPA developments concerning measures and to develop consensus regarding goals, priorities and approach for the NH DES-NEWMOA Compliance Measures Project. The agenda was reviewed by state and EPA Region I staff.
- At the June 1-2, 2000 NEWMOA Directors' Meeting the draft workshop agenda was reviewed by the state waste program directors and their suggestions for revisions were incorporated.
- During July, August and September 2000, NEWMOA staff developed the Agenda for the annual two-day NEWMOA States-EPA Training & Technology Transfer Conference, to be held on October 26-27, 2000. A 90 minute Session entitled 'Measuring Pollution Prevention Progress and Compliance' is included in the agenda. Amy Porter, EPA Headquarters is participating in this session to brief state and EPA regional staff on OECA measurement activities and to join in the discussion/question and answer period that will follow.
- At their September 14-15, 2000 Meeting, NEWMOA's Directors were briefed on the status of the project and were asked to identify their state's lead participants for the workgroup. The Directors agreed that NEWMOA should follow-up with its plans to use the Measure's Workshop, mentioned above, to broaden state participation and input to the workgroup. NEWMOA anticipates holding the Workshop early in December 2000.